

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Mariko HIRAI et al.**

Art Unit: **1794**

Application Number: **10/532,059**

Examiner: **Sow Fun Hon**

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For: **POLARIZER, METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING THE SAME, OPTICAL FILM AND IMAGE DISPLAY**

Attorney Docket Number: **052453**
Customer Number: **38834**

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCESSING REQUESTED

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Commissioner for Patents

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This paper is filed in response to the Office Action dated March 18, 2009. The response date having been extended by one month to July 18, 2009 by the Petition for Extension of Time filed herewith.

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